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LITERACY REQUIREMENT FOR U.S. CITIZENSHIP

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CHAPTER III (NATIONALITY AND CITIZENSHIP) OF PARAGUAYAN  
CONSTITUTION IMPOSES NO REPEAT NO REQUIREMENT THAT EITHER  
OF THE PRIMARY LANGUAGES (SPANISH AND GUARANI) BE LEARNED  
PRIOR TO OR AFTER ADMISSION TO CITIZENSHIP. NO OTHER  
LAWS ACHIEVE EFFECT OF IMPOSING SUCH REQUIREMENT. IN  
PRACTICE, APPLICANTS CAN OBTAIN PARAGUAYAN CITIZENSHIP  
EVEN IF UNABLE TO READ OR SPEAK PRIMARY LANGUAGE.  
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